



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Yuichi Mori, et al.  
Application No. : 10/647,076  
Filed : August 22, 2003  
Title : PLANT CULTIVATING CONTAINER AND PLANT CULTIVATING  
METHOD

Confirmation No. 9698

Grp./Div. : 3643  
Examiner : Jeffrey L. Gellner  
  
Docket No. : 51015/A400

Commissioner for Patents  
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March 27, 2006

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated October 27, 2005 for two month(s) from January 27, 2006 to March 27, 2006.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEES
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 225	\$ 450	\$225.00
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 510	\$ 1020	\$
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 795	\$1590	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1080	\$2160	\$

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 225.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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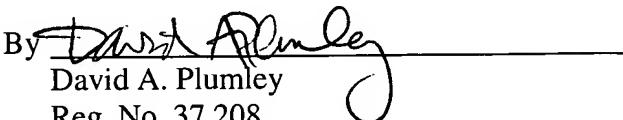
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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